

# *Executive Proclamation*

## *State of South Dakota*

### *Office of the Governor*

*Whereas*, Dianne Lehrke has dedicated the past 34 plus years to serving the health and nutrition needs of South Dakotans; and,

*Whereas*, Since 1977, Dianne has worked as secretary for the Department of Health's Office of Family and Community Health Services in Roberts County; and,

*Whereas*, Dianne has been a valued member of the Family and Community Health Services team, providing consistent effort and contribution to help the office achieve a 90 percent child immunization rate for Roberts County for many years; and,

*Whereas*, Over the years and through all the changes, Dianne has enjoyed meeting the people the job has allowed her to help; and,

*Whereas*, She is a lifelong member of both Zion Lutheran Church in Claire City and Emanuel Lutheran Church in Sisseton, as well as an active choir member and Sunday School teacher for both churches; and,

*Whereas*, Love of church and fellowship has always been and continues to play an important role in Dianne's life; and,

*Whereas*, Dianne and her husband, Dean, have been married for 29 years and together raised five children and have 12 grandchildren; and,

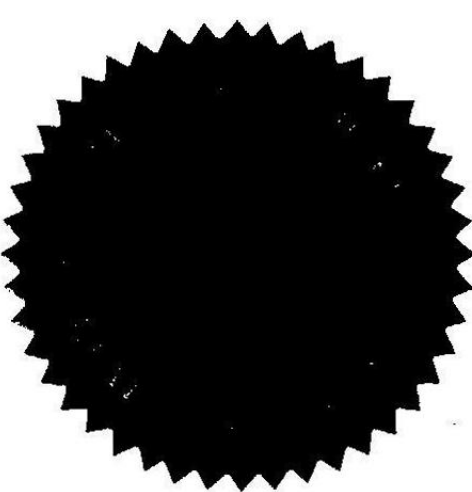
*Whereas*, It is fitting and proper to honor this outstanding South Dakotan on the occasion of her retirement on April 30, 2012:

*Now, Therefore, I, Dennis Daugaard*, Governor of the state of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim April 30, 2012, as

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in South Dakota, and I join her family, friends, and colleagues in offering best wishes for an enjoyable retirement.

*In Witness Whereof*, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the state of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this Thirteenth Day of March in the Year of Our Lord, Two Thousand and Twelve.



*Dennis Daugaard*

Dennis Daugaard, Governor

Attest:

*Jason M. Gant*

Jason M. Gant, Secretary of State